



**Sussex Cricket Limited  
Team Analyst Internships 2019**

**Job Titles:** 2 x Undergraduate Team Analyst Interns

**Duration:** 12 months from 3 June 2019 – 29 May 2020.

**Please note that the undergraduate students must be looking for a work placement as part of a sandwich degree.**

**Main duties:**

- To assist in the operation and maintenance of Sussex Cricket's video notational, analytical system
- To assist with specific analytical projects, as requested by coaches in the Professional Cricket department, both statistical data-based and video-based
- To assist in the capturing and collating of footage for a video library, from both on ground and TV broadcast, for analytical and new media purposes
- To assist in the operation of new media -based projects
- To assist in the set-up and operation of the video notational, analytical system at all 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> XI home matches
- To use a range of analytical tools in order to find and present both major and subtle trends within the evolving world of Cricket.
- To research and analyse prospective opposition teams and players, providing Professional Cricket staff with relevant information
- To gather and provide statistical and video footage for the Academy, youth squads and player development areas of the business

Please note that the list above is not exhaustive and reasonable duties may be added or removed at the discretion of the Club staff.

## **Person Specification:**

### **Qualifications**

- Currently studying a sports-focused degree. This work placement would be offered to a student as part of a sandwich degree

### **Skills and Knowledge**

- A versatile and wide-ranging base of skills and techniques in the area of analysis
- Excellent IT skills (preferably Microsoft Excel, Microsoft PowerPoint and Tableau)
- Knowledge and experience of world and domestic cricket
- A fully clean driving license is desirable but not essential

### **Personal qualities/ Competencies**

- A team player who can motivate and inspire others to achieve excellence
- Sound independent judgement
- Ability to organise and prioritise work
- A professional attitude and appearance
- A positive approach and a “can-do” attitude
- Ability to work under pressure
- Flexibility with regards to working hours and patterns of working within a pro cricket environment and a willingness to step outside the role where required
- A commitment to continuous improvement

## **Testimonials from previous Team Analyst Interns.**

*"My Performance Analyst Internship at Sussex CCC was a fantastic experience that I would recommend to anyone who wishes to pursue a career in sport! I was able to gain a thorough insight into being part of an analyst team, where I was given a lot of responsibility and opportunities to be creative. From coding live matches to conducting my own investigations into overseas competitions, there was not a moment at Sussex that I did not enjoy. The staff and the players at the club create a great environment, in which my work was very much appreciated and valued greatly. Since my placement I have gone on to finish my degree, using ideas from my time at Sussex to complete my dissertation. I am now currently working as an Academy & First Team Analyst at Dagenham & Redbridge FC. The experience I gained at Sussex has without a doubt given me a head start over other graduates when it comes to applying for jobs in this field. This internship is an excellent opportunity that you will not regret taking!"*

**James Lavender**  
**Performance Analyst at Dagenham and Redbridge FC**

*I thoroughly enjoyed my time with Sussex CCC and would highly recommend the placement year. Very few placements allow you to be so closely involved within a professional sports team, with the opportunity to gain real responsibilities and contribute to the team. I was able to develop my skills in performance analysis but also learn what is required to work in an elite sporting environment.*

*Making contacts within sport is crucial when looking to find a job, and the placement provides a great opportunity to do this in cricket. Without the knowledge and skills learnt from my year, I believe that I would still be struggling to find a job in sport and even one at all. My time with Sussex was the main reason I was able to get my current job because of the responsibilities I took on and developed during my placement year. I will always be grateful to the club for this and can honestly say you will not find a more welcoming place, right from players and coaches through to office staff and stewards.*

**Craig Brammah**  
**Hawk-Eye Systems Operator**

Please be aware that the Club is not in a position to fund this placement and as such students need to meet all their own living and travel costs.

Sussex Cricket would, however, cover any costs incurred whilst travelling on behalf of the club.

Please send your CV and cover letter to Kay Gunn, Head of People at [recruitment@sussexcricket.co.uk](mailto:recruitment@sussexcricket.co.uk)

Please note that the closing date for applications is **10am on Monday 7 January 2019**